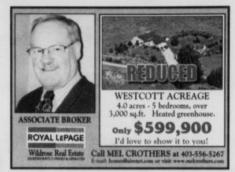
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Fire destroys barn west of Didsbury



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This barn went up in flames last week, destroying the structure west of town

BY PAUL FREY AND KEVIN VINK

MVP Staff

A fire about 20 kilometres west of Didsbury destroyed a barn on the morning of April 30.

About 20 Didsbury and Cremona firefighters were called to the scene at about 11 a.m. after one of the first crews that was on its way to the scene noted over the scanner that there was a big black plume of smoke in the distance.

Emergency medical service personnel also responded to the scene as a precaution, but there were no injuries. A total of eight pieces of fire equipment from both departments were deployed.

Firefighters remained on scene for about four hours putting out hot spots.

"We came here and the barn was fully involved," said Gary Schultz, the incident commander from the Didsbury Fire Department. "The fire had jumped the road and went across (north). We surrounded the fire and put it out."

Schultz said a cause of the blaze was not immediately known, nor was an estimated damage amount.

Ian Bates, the property owner, said the barn was built in the 1950s, and was not sure how the blaze started.

'Tm not sure, they haven't said anything yet," said Bates, who had just grabbed some things for his two children from an unburnt shed.

Bates, his wife, his chil-

dren, and their two dogs sat on the grass in a ditch a few hundred feet from the house while firefighters fought the blaze.

His wife called in the fire, and he noted that "No one was hurt, thank goodness."

The blaze took the entire building down to its concrete foundation, but only claimed some old machinery and lawn-mowers. Bates said that fortunately nothing else of note was lost in the blaze.

"Just kind of in shock right now, trying to take it all in."

The barn fire was on the same property as a fire on April 28 that firefighters responded to as well, but according to fire officials the two incidents were not related.



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Firefighters put out hot spots at a barn fire west of Didsbury on April 30.

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No one injured in controlled-burn

BY KEVIN VINK MVP Staff

A controlled burn went wrong last Thursday, May 1, when what started as a calm day turned into a windy ordeal for Duane and Denise Derksen who planned to burn the roof of a collapsed barn.

About 30 firefighters and between 10 12 fire response vehicles attended the Carstairs-area blaze just east of Highway 2 near Secondary Highway 581

and Rge. Rd. 290 where a large open-faced cattle shelter was claimed by the fire.

Fire departments from Carstairs, Didsbury and Olds were dispatched to the scene shortly after

Jordan Schaffer, deputy chief of the Carstairs Department and commander-on-scene, said the biggest struggle was the wind.

"That's the biggest issue with these controlled burns when they get out of control is the

wind," said Schaffer.

No injuries been reported to him, although EMS were on scene, he added.

"Everybody's just a little tired and out of breath, but they've been good sports and working their butts off."

Firefighters had mostly wrapped up and left the scene in the hands of the family around 5:30 p.m.

Denise Derksen said everything was going by the books until the wind

picked up.
The Derksens had obtained controlled-burn permits from Mountain View County officials, and even waited for a calm day to perform the burn.

on hand, standing by the fire and supervising the burn, when the wind started blowing from the

"All of a sudden we turned around and the shed was on fire," said Derksen.

We'd been waiting for a nice calm day, and they'd cleared around where they were going to do the burn and the wind all of a sudden came up. That wind came out nowhere. That's why we chose today because all the conditions were right. We never in a million years could have anticipated this."

They had time to get most, if not all of the cattle out of the shed before it was fully engulfed, but any equipment that was inside the building was lost, she said.

"That's how quickly it went and got away There was no stopping

Neighbours from the

surrounding area came right away and even brought in their own machinery to help firefighters contain the fire.

We have incredible neighbours. And they were here right away That's not our BobCat, she said, pointing to one of a handful of skidsteers on site.

"That's our neigh-bours'... and they've been here holding together and offering help. We just have the most wonderful people around us.

She said she felt sick watching it as it burned, and described walking around during the initial blaze

"It was so incredibly scary. As I was going around the fence, I could feel the heat, and it was a good hundred feet away, it was just intense."

Although buildings were including the residence, it could have turned out much worse had the wind changed direction

to the west.
It was blowing south and south-southwest at

the time of the fire. She said there was a rater pump that was left idling in the burned out shed, but it was in such place that the way the fire spread, they were unable to get at it in time.

"It was just rescue the

animals and get out." She noted the firefighters were doing a great job containing the fire putting out hot spots

We have been blessed and you know when that wind came up, at least it didn't change direction. But right now we work. We cry later.'

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A firefighter contains the blaze that took out a cattle shed on a property east of town on Thursday, May 1





ART SHOW - Sandra Hughes, left, of Carstairs and Chris Elliott of Didsbury, both artists from the Carstairs Artists Guild browse through the offerings of the guild's Art Show and Sale at the Half Century Club in Carstairs on May 3. The show was one of two the group puts on a year with the next one occuring in July during Beef and Barley Days.

Club getting ready for show and shine

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

The Didsbury Car Club is getting ready for the annual show and shine, taking place this year on May 10.

Organizers are estimating over 400 vehicles and their owners will show up for the event, plus about 100 motorcycles. They will be taking over 20 Street and 19 Avenue from the ATB branch to the town office, with 20 Street being closed from AG Foods to 15 Avenue from about 6 a.m. to about 7 p.m. The parking lot at the train station will also be closed to regular traffic to allow for show participants to display their vehicles.

"It's a work in prog-ress, but I think everything's looking good as long as the (weather cooperates)," said Gil Enns, president of the Didsbury Car Club, not-ing that last-minute details were being final-

ized last week. Enns said the Didsbury vent is gaining popularity among vehicle enthusiasts and sometimes sees entries from as far away as Lethbridge and Saskatchewan.

"(Didsbury) is one of the first (events) of the year and it's one that a lot of the enthusiasts are anticipating to get their cars out," he said.

The event will also feature a dynometer to allow people to test the horsepower in their vehicles, a 30-metre "shootout" on 19 Street in which people will drive as fast as they can, musical entertainment and dirt bike riders performing aerial stunts south of AG Foods. The Didsbury Lions Club is also putting on a break-fast, with the first 10 women getting complimentary breakfast due to Mother's Day being the day after the show

and shine. The Didsbury Curling Club will also selling tickets to its

cabaret later on May 10. Bikers For Christ will also be hosting a silent auction in support of the Stop Bullying initiative.

Ken Wigmore, a Gull Lake resident who attended the Didsbury show and shine last year with his 1956 Chev one-ton pickup, said last week he hoped his vehicle would be ready to make the trip, as it was in the bodyshop last week. He said his passion for older vehicles is what brings him out to events like the one in Didsbury.

"I guess the love of cars and cars that have been restored," he said.

Wigmore has owned the truck for two years and bought it when it was already restored. He previously owned a 1971 Ford LTD convertible.

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"Probably the best part (of classic auto shows) is showing off what you've got and seeing what everybody else has got, and making new friends and meeting old friends," he said.

Wigmore has been to several different events, such as one in Libbey, Mont., Red Deer and Beaumont over the past three years, but said the one in Didsbury is one of the best.

"The boys down there in Didsbury do a great job and they're to be commended for all their efforts.



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DHS students perform with Global Drums group

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

About 100 members of the Didsbury High School band program performed with the Global Drums group on May

Global Drums is a group of per-cussion students at the University of Lethbridge's music program. Global Drums last played in Didsbury in the autumn of 2012. There are about 40 people in the group and when they travel, about 15 members play. The group has travelled all over the world and has learned traditional Polynesian drumming, Japanese taiko drumming, steel percussion from Trinidad and Tobago, African drumming, Brazilian samba and classical ensemble, all of which is performed by the group.

Madison Nussbaum, a Grade 12 trumpet player, said prior to the per-formance DHS students had been working on pieces from two weeks to two months. The students opened for the Global Drums and then were joined by members of the group later in the

performance for a large group session. Nussbaum said practice had been going well but there were a few spots that students were having to iron out, "but hopefully tonight everything will go well," she said prior to the perforgo well, she said prior to the performance.

Nussbaum said she found some of the music she and the other DHS stu-dents worked on "intense" and more difficult while other pieces were easier to master. She was looking forward to sharing the stage with more experienced musicians.
"I think it's kind of exciting just to

hear how it will all turn out," she said

Nathan Geist, also a Grade 12 trum-pet player, said he, too, was looking forward to the opportunity.

"I think it's going to be a good experi-ence just to play with somebody who we haven't played with before. It will be playing with a group that's above ... the level that we usually play at," he said, adding that for him, the number of people sharing the floor all at once would be the highlight of the performance. "It's going to be a tremendous sound."

Devin Hatcher, also a Grade 12 trumpet player, said he was most looking forward to the added polish of the university students and the variety of the sound they would bring to a performance.

"It's just going to add a lot to what we already have," he said. Nussbaum, Geist and Hatcher have been playing music for about six to

Hatcher said he hoped that with the Global Drums group performing, more people would attend the high school's

annual spring concert.
Kelly Spoering, who has finished her fifth of a six-year music education degree and has been part of Global Drums since her first year, said she finds the group much more fun and involved than if she were studying other forms of music because there is a lot more variety involved. Each member of the group rehearses for 30 minutes with each type of drum, then plays each of them at various times during performances.

"The best part of it is the sheer variety of what we play. I get opportunities



A member of the Global Drums group plays steel drums during the group's performance at Didsbury High School on May 1

at the U of L that I wouldn't have gotten at any other school in Canada. We play more instruments from around the world than anybody else does, and because the studio is so small, we all get major roles. We all get solo opportunities, duet opportunities, and as undergraduates and if I would have gone to (any other university) I would have never gotten the opportunity to do what I've done at (the University of Lethbridge)," she said.

The group changes slightly each year as people graduate and new students

join, but Spoering said it keeps getting

Spoering, who plans to become a music teacher at a school, said the experience in the group has been beneficial.

"The number of different types of music I've been able to study is a huge advantage to me because I can go to a high school now ... and say 'I can teach traditional band' but I can teach (other forms of music) and it connects (students) to music from all over the world."

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BALL BATTLE - Will Davey, a member of the Didsbury U18 boys soccer team (39) takes a shot on goal while a Crossfield player attempts a tackle during the two teams' Big Country Soccer Association game on April 30 at the Didsbury High School field. Didsbury won the game 5-2.

Local players learn a lot from tournament experience

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

Local hockey play-Taylor Fawns and Mitchell Visser returned from the ATB Alberta last week with more experience under their belts following the four-day tournament that ended April 27 in Strathmore.

Fawns and for Team skated Central in the tournament for 1999-born players, which featured players from Red Deer, Lacombe, the Sundre area and elsewhere around Central Alberta. Team Central competed against seven other regional teams from around Alberta and finished the tournament with a 3-2 record.

"It was a great experience. It was very (professionally organized) and the hockey





Mitchell Visser

was very fast. There were a lot of very good players there," said Fawns, a defenceman who played the 2013-14 season with the Airdrie Extreme bantam team.

"It was very challenging. All the players (at the tournament) are very good hockey play-ers. It was a lot of fun," Fawns said.

forward Visser, who also played with the Extreme in 2013-14, said he enjoyed his time at the tournament immensely, playing with and against quality

hockey players. "Overall it was a really great experience," he

Fawns said the expe rience will help him next year by prepar-ing him to play against stronger players.

"There are very good players out there that I

could go up against, and I just have to be ready to play against them,

he said. Players at the tournament were also given the opportunity to learn about the WHL. Scouts WHL various teams, as well as teams from various junior A leagues from around western Canada were also on hand to evaluate the players' on-ice skills.

Each of the 180 players at the Alberta Cup was competing for one of 80 spots at a U-16 camp to be held in July. The July ses-sion will determine roster for Team Alberta for the 2015 Canada Winter Games in Prince George, B.C. in February. The selec-tions to attend the July camp are expected to be made by the end of

Novice Chargers streak intact

BY PAUL FREY

The Didsbury novice Chargers lacrosse team's undefeated streak reached five games on May 2 as they downed the Innisfail Phantoms 7-0 in Central Alberta Lacrosse League action at the Didsbury Memorial Complex. The Chargers took a 3-0 lead over Innisfail after the first period, then followed that up with one more goal in the second period before adding three more in the third.

On May 3, the novice Chargers beat the Blackfalds Warriors 10-1.

Peewee 2 team loses

Meanwhile, the Peewee 2 team had a tougher time of it on May 2, suffering a 8-2 defeat to the Red Deer Chiefs. The peewees were down 5-0 after one period of play and never recovered, as the Chiefs scored a sixth goal in the second. The pee-wees had an even 2-2 third period with the Chiefs. The team also lost 12-2 on May 4 to the Lacocka

Peewee 1 team loses

In the third game of the night on May 2, the Peewee 1 team was defeated 8-1 by the Innisfail Phantoms. The Chargers trailed 3-1 after one period of play, while the Phantoms added three more in the second period and two in the third for the victory. On May 4 the team lost 13-0 to the Lacocka Loco

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Editorial

Preparedness all about family and community safety

If the great southern Alberta floods of June 2013 showed anything it is that natural disasters can strike without warning and when they do, nobody is completely safe from the carnage that can result

Flooding in particular can have far-reaching and long-term impacts on communities and families, upsetting regular routines without

And while Mountain View and Red Deer counties received far less damage than communities further south in 2013, there was damage and disruption here, proving that disasters can and do happen any time and anywhere.

In an effort to prepare Albertans for possible flood-

Preparedness Week (May 4 – 11) is "Who Depends On You In 72."

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The 72 refers to the need for families in all parts of the province to have 72-hour emergency kits prepared and ready for immediate use should natural disasters strike. And that is because while emergen-cies are typically of the minor variety, they can sometimes quickly become life-threatening.

"Preparedness is a shared responsibility," Alberta Emergency Management Agency (AEMA) officials say. "We know that in some cases when a disaster occurs, it can take up to three days for emergency responders to reach you while they deal with the response and the most critically injured.

"Make sure you take the time now to prepare your-self with the items necessary to survive for a 72-hour

AEMA officials say 72-hour emergency kits should include at least two litres of water per person per day, food that won't spoil, a manual can opener, crank or battery-operated flashlight and radio, extra batteries, first aid kit, extra keys for cars and homes, cash in small bills, candles and matches, toiletries, garbage bags and changes of clothes. Municipalities in the region have been working

closely together over the past months to prepare and plan for possible future flooding – and as a result, should flooding occur this spring, the district should be well prepared to help meet the needs of commu-

This renewed multi-jurisdictional cooperation is good news for residents across West Central Alberta.

At the same time, individual residents can play their part by making sure family members are ready for possible emergencies. And that should involve taking a bit of time to prepare 72-hour emergency

"It is vital to the community that you and your family are prepared to be on your own for the first 72 hours," the AEMA says.

That is advice that everyone in the region is encouraged to take to heart.





Commentary

Why our health system works for Canada

ROBERT MCMURTRY

In the past 18 months I have required two major, but unrelated surgeries, experiencing first hand Ontario's version of medicare The two interventions necessitated downtime and an enforced idleness for reflection on life and what it means to be Canadian. I feel blessed.

It is not just the absence of any indebtedness related to care, though that certainly helps, but the core elements of what medicare represents: efficiency, equity and effectiveness or doing it well, availing the care to all and delivering improved health - social justice in a time when it is an endangered species.

This is no small feat and should never be taken for granted.

What is the history of single payer health insurance and why is medicare Canada's most trea sured social program? The first mandatory health insurance was introduced in Germany (1883). Thereafter, many western European countries followed suit. In Canada, Saskatchewan's rural municipality of Sarnia created an early form of medicare (1915) followed a year later by a municipal hospital act. In 1947 The Hospital Insurance Act (1947) came into being, again in Saskatchewan, which all provinces followed by 1961. In 1962 Saskatchewan introduced universal medicare. In short, an idea spawned in Europe

and taken up by Tommy Douglas set the stage for the passage of the Medical Care Act by the Canadian Parliament in 1966.

My own life intertwined with this history from the 1950s to the present in many ways. The first exposure was to life without medicare when my father suffered a stroke, leaving him at age 54 with a permanent severe neurological deficit. Occurring at the peak of his career, he was never able to return to more than a small fraction of his original activity, eventually succumbing to complications of the stroke. I well remember my mother struggling with our much reduced economic status to find the money to pay the health-care bills. Had he been taken ill a few years later she would have been relieved of that burden.

I remember, too, being a medi-al student of the wards of the old Toronto General Hospital and the many differences between "private" and "public" status. To emphasize that reality there was a Private Patients Pavilion - a whole wing of beds for the exclusive use of those who were "paying customers.

The impact of medicare was

In my subsequent practice as an orthopedic surgeon spanning over 40 years, I can state that there has never been an instance in which a course of treatment or surgery agreed to by my patient and me that was ever thwarted by cost

considerations.

Similarly, the complex "state of-the-art" medical and surgical treatment I received in 2012 and 2014 was unconstrained by cost considerations. There is so much for which to be grateful in the legacy of Tommy Douglas.

Public support, however, is not unconditional. Medicare needs to respond to evolving needs, should have much greater uptake on best practices, needs to focus on a host of proven upstream practic es thereby promoting health and preventing disease. Indeed, the future of medicare depends on an ability to change.

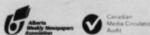
To preserve medicare is the responsibility of all. This includes ensuring our own health literacy and physical fitness. We must be clear about the implications of those who seek to commodify health care; it is a matter of social justice that care should always be based on need and not ability to pay.

I am a very grateful Canadian and can only hope that collectively we have the wisdom to ensure the future of a program which above all supports Canadian values. Robert McMurtry is an expert advisor with EvidenceNetwork. ca and an orthopedic surgeon, a former dean of medicine, founding assistant deputy min-

ister of health federally and a medical advisor to the Romanow Commission. He is also a Member of the Order of Canada and a Troy Media columnist.

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Wildcats open field hockey season



Members of the Westglen Wildcats U14 field hockey team practiced their skills on April 30 before their opening tournament on the weekend in Calgary.

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

The Westglen School Wildcats field hockey team opened the season on May 3 with three loss tournament in Calgary.

But coach Jenny Johnson said she was pleased with the effort against some strong competition. The Wildcats lost 2-1 to the Edmonton Royals A squad, 2-1 to the Edmonton Royals B squad and 5-4 to the host Calgary Hawks.

The games were very competitive and very close. I strongly believe the results could have gone either way. The kids played excellent consid-

ering it's very early in the season and we've only had two practices together and so I think the rest of the season is going to look very good and very strong," she said.

Johnson said since the opposition played their strongest players, she was happy that the Wildcats were able to hold their own and keep the games so

"We always play everyone equally and we were a U-14 team and the tournament was actually U-15, so we were playing against older kids," she said, adding the team also doesn't normally start off the season with such challenging competition.

Kaelyn Epp scored two of the Wildcats' goals

during the tournament while Julie Christianson, Seth Peterson, George Holdstock and Owen Wilberg added single tallies. Goalkeeper Seth Graham also had a great tournament.

Johnson said an added bonus to the tournament was that the host Calgary Hawks team is mostly made up of players of Indian heritage, so it was a bit of a cultural experience as well, with traditional south Asian cuisine available for the players to sample

As of press time, Johnson said the next games for the Wildcats would be a tournament hosted by Westglen on May 24, but she said she was trying to arrange games prior to that date.



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Man bear-sprayed

A 42-year-old woman has been charged with four counts related to of a prohibited weapon after bear-spraying her boyfriend, say police

RCMP responded to a domestic disturbance at about 5 a.m. on Sunday, April 27, after the couple got into an argument.

Warren Wright Cpl. noted that though bear spray is legal to buy at sporting good stores,

it becomes a prohibited weapon when used against humans.

"Because it's meant to be used in defence against bears, dogs, and other animals. It's not meant to be used against a human," said Wright, noting that the concentration of bear spray is much higher compared pepper spray.

woman four charged with including crimes, including assault with a weapon and possession of a prohibited weapon.

Police briefs

Wright added although police do not generally release domestic incident information to the public, he shared this one because of the unusual nature of it

Helmet stolen

Police received the report of a motorcycle helmet that was stolen off the back of a motorcycle that was parked on the 1300 block of 25 Street, said Wright.

It was stolen sometime between Wednesday, April 23 and Sunday, April 27, he added.

It is described as a matte black Shoei full-face street bike helmet, valued at \$800.

Copper thefts

There was a total of five copper wire thefts over the weekend of April 25 to 28, said

Wright. "That weekend somebody was and about in Mountain View County stealing copper wire from oil and gas sites," he said."

One site had 600 feet of wire stolen, which is valued at about \$1,800, and other sites in the area were also hit with thefts valued in the thousands, he added.

He noted if anybody sees suspicious activ ity around wellsites or other rural properties, they should call police who can come out to the area to check up on things.

Almost scammed

A Didsbury resident almost gave his credit card information on Tuesday, April 29, following an intricac-scam attempt, said Wright.

He said the resident got an email on his iPhone, addressed from Apple iTune, advising that some-body had used his Apple ID to download a \$9.35 application.

The email stated that if the resident had indeed ordered the application, then disregard the message. But if he had not ordered it, he was asked to fill out a form, he said.

"Bottom line is it looked 100 per cent legitimate, but there were a couple red flags or tells," said Wright, noting the email came from "Apple iTune" and not "Apple iTunes."

The fact they wanted credit card information was another tell, he noted.

In the email, there was a link to the form, which led to a suspicious URL address. and the form asked for his Apple ID.

Then the form led to second form, asking for his name, address credit card number and some other information that the resident had not previously provided to Apple.

The man then real-ized that it was a scam, and Wright said "it was a cleverly disguised spam email. They're getting more clever.

He said if it weren't for the man's obser-vational skills, he may have indeed fallen for the scam.

Note that a company that already has a person's account information will never ask for a username and pass word as they already have it on file, he said.

There are such things as security questions, but a page or company administrator already has all the information they need, and will likely only ever ask security questions that were agreed upon during the original creation of the account.

Wright said if residents think might be l might be looking at a potential scam, looking they can either visit the Canadian Anti-Fraud Centre, or contact their local police detachment.

TV that ties the town together.





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Police seeking help in finding missing Olds man

Olds police are asking for the public's help in locating Andrew Christie, 51, who was last seen at his home on April 29. He is described

standing five-foot-eight with a slender build and short blond hair.

Christie is missing four front teeth and was possibly wearing a red, yellow and black jacket.

Police said he has not shown up for work as a cook at Olds College and does not have a vehicle associated with him.

Staff Sgt. Joe Sangster, commander of the Olds RCMP detachment, said police are looking into some banking activity on Christie's account since he was reported missing.

If anyone knows where Christie is or has any information on his whereabouts, please call the Olds RCMP detachment at 403-556-3324. If you wish to remain anonymous, call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477(TIPS).

Council gives notice to designate Royal Bank building

BY PAUL FREY MVP Staff

Town council gave notice of intent at its meeting on April 22 to designate the Royal Bank building on 20 Street as a Municipal

Historic Resource.
The owner of the 1914 building now has 60 days to appeal the notice before council starts the process of declaring the build-ing a Municipal Historic Resource. If no objection is received, council will begin the process, poten-tially in July, according to Karen Henry, the town's manager of planning and development.

The building holds significance as one of the early anchors of down-town Didsbury. The original building that stood on the site was destroyed by a fire in 1914. It's believed that the fire started in the building that stood on the site where the present building stands.

As a result of the fire, the new building was built with brick to comply with the building code of the time. In addition to hous ing the Royal Bank, the building also housed the library from 1974 to 1987.

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intain View Bridge Club – duplicate bridge every Wednesday ng at 7 pm. At the Masonic Hall. Phone Don 335-3019 for information.

May 9

Redeemer Lutheran Church (1500-23 Street) in Didsbury is hosting a live concert by "The Royal Foundry" on Priday evening, May 9th at 7:00 pm. Jared and Bethany Salte will share their journey of love, hardship, and music. Tickets \$5:00 at the door. Check out their music at theroyalfoundry.com.

Friends of the Library Book Sale. Frida from Noon to 6 pm dd Saturday from 9 am to 1 pm at the Didsbury Lawn Bowling ubbouse 1619 22nd Avenue.

You're invited to the "Down in the Jungle" Book Launch the Library at 2:00 pm. Please join author Maxine Spence dillustrator Lyndsay Wasko as they launch their new book-sadings, refeshments and demos.

During Show 'n Shine, the Didsbury Museum We will be open from 11 AM to 4 PM and will be showcasing our new Antique Model Car Collection. Collection donor Mr. Little will be onsite from 11 AM to 3 PM to answer any questions and share

Didsbury Elks 16th Annual Mothers' Day Breakfast. Sunday, May 11 from 8:00 am to Noon at The Elks Hall (1914 20 St. Didsbury). Admission by donation. Mothers and preschoolers are free. Flowers for Monts.

May 12

Didsbury Addiction and Mental Health is hosting the second of series of five 2-hour support group for clients from 6:30 to 8:30 the Didsbury Hospittal Mental Health Meeting Room. Cost is \$5. case register by calling 403 335-7285. Maximum 8 members.

Mountain View Christian Women's Breakfast. 9:30 to 11:30 at Redeemer Lutheran Church Gym. 1500 23 St. Didsbury. \$6 per person. Free babysitting. Special Feature: Deborah Patten presents on Creative Container Gardening. Special Speaker: Dorothy Sessa "Worthless to Priceless". Special Music: Debi Hooper and Julie Poffenroth. For reservations please call Ann 403 335-8444.

Five-0-Club welcomes everyone to their potluck on Wednesday, May 14th at 12:30. Bring your favourite dish.

bury Addiction and Mental Health is hosting supportive stations – a two hour information session for those coping mental illness or who want to learn more. Week 3 I estanding and Managing Emotions". Cost is \$1 per evening.

Word in the West Literacy Fest. Libraries in Mtn. View County e hosting their annual family literacy festival on Friday, May 23 the County Building on Hwy. 2A.

Pree Outdoor movie night at Redeemer Lutheran Church. "We Bought a Zoo" will be shown on the outside wall. Bring a friend and your own lawn chair. Popcorn will be provided. Movie starts at 830 p.m.

Coffee and Conversation at the museum from 1 to 3:30 pm on the 4th Wednesday of every month. Guest Speaker Jane Retsken Manager Botanic Gardens and Wetlands Treatment at Olds College. Jane will be sharing ideas for balcony/patio/container gardening as well as give a presentation on the new Botanical Gardens at Olds College.

June 21

DHS class of '72 reunion & 60th birthday celebration will be held June 21. Please contact Deb 403-208-4006 or Eileen 780-780-

Ongoing

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KING HIRAM LODGE #21 - has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month

ST. HILDA CHAPTER #27 O.E.S.

Has its regular meetings at 7:30 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. Call Marg Steckler at 403-335-281

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DIDSBURY MUSEUM - Open 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Tues. to Fri.; Sat. 1 - 4 p.m. By appointment: Jim 403-335-0003 or Shirley 403-335-3277

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SUPPER INVITATION - The Didsbury Lions Club welcomes men & lady visitors at their supper meetings on the first and third Thursdays of each month, 6:45 p.m. at the 5-0 Club. For information and to RSVP call 403-335-9173 or 403-335-4796.

DIDSBURY NEIGHBOURHOOD

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MOUNTAIN VIEW CHORALIERS BEGIN THEIR FALL PRACTICES on Monday evening, Sept. 10 at 7pm. at the FIVE-0 club. If you like to sing come and join us, we are a fun group.

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MOUNTAIN VIEW ARTS

SOCIETY - for lovers of art, culture and heritage of Didsbury & Mountain View County. Info at www.mountainviewartsociety.ca or call 403-335-9445.

DIDSBURY DEMENTIA SUPPORT GROUP meets every last Monday of the month. 3:00pm. at Aspen Ridge Lodge. Contact Sharon 403-335-7285.

MOUNTAIN VIEW CHORALIERS have started their fall practices. If you like to sing, join us at the 5-0 Club. Monday evenings @7pm. We are a fun group.

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got 1st and Noah Blurn got 2nd in juniors. For the Intermediates Chloe Schaber got 1st and Elizabeth Blurn got 2nd. In Seniors Reanne Schaber got 1st and Emma Schaber got 2nd. Semina healths Scraper you is and crimina scraped got chu.

The Outdoor Ed members have been busy. We have been building a solar powered heater out of pop cans and trying to construct our own solar powered cookers, for some of us this is a work in progress. We are hoping to go out to Cremona and try to shoot some Bow and Arrows. Submitted by: Garret Crawford

The sheep members have picked out their sheep projects and are now busy halter breaking them and preparing them for the upcoming show down at 4H on Parade. They have been growing really well and we're looking forward to showing them. Submitted by: Katie Crawford

The horse project has been active all winter. We were fortunate to be able to participate in a horse chiropractor demo day in January at Mountain View stables. Coach Lisa brought in a chiropractor who took time explaining the importance and risks to horses to not being in alignment. We also did a few classroom dismounted lessons to work on knowledge

abused horse-manship that members will be able to transfer to hands on with their projects.

We are looking forward to warmer weather and increasing our amount of riding time as show season is fast approach. Horse members will be participating in the District Horse Show the second Saturday in May. All are welcome to join the members at the olds Mega dome to watch and cheer on riders and mounts. Submitted by: the Schaber family

Submitted by: Garret Crawford

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Bergthal Mennonite Church

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For more information please contaCatholic Women's League:
Maxine Moreau 403-335-4948
Kriights of Columbus:
Gary McNeil 403-335-8611
For more information
Olds St. Steven's Office
403-556-3084

Redeemer Lutheran

Lutheran Church Canada 1500 - 23 ST, * Rev. Robert Mohns Church: 403-335-3161 / Res: 403-335-3656 Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. * Wornhip - 10:30 a.m. Adult Bible Study Sunday - 9:30 a.m. Holy Communion 2, 4 & 5 Sunday 10:30 a.m. Ir. & Sr. Youth, Women's & Seniors' Ministry Group Small Group Bible Study meetings throughout the week

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14 km East of Didsbury Pastor Art Numan Office: 403-335-4422 Morning Worship 11 a.m. • Sunday School 10 a.m. For information concerning the weekly activities please call the Church Office

Anglican Church of Canada

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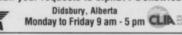
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